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Comparatives and Superlatives

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-GROUP 1-		
One Syllable Adjectives or Adverbs:		
<b>Comparatives</b> One syllable words use [-er + than] smart = smarter than young = younger than If the word ends in [-e], add [-r] nice = nicer than	<b>Superlatives</b> One syllable words use [the + -est] smart = the smartest young = the youngest If the word ends in [-e], add [-st] nice = the nicest	
Now it's your turn:	Comparative	Superlative
tall		
long		
old		
short		
fast		
soft		
high		
clean		
wise		
dumb		

  

-GROUP 1B-		
1 syllable adjectives with a <u>C</u> onsonant- <u>V</u> owel- <u>C</u> onsonant Pattern:		
<b>Comparatives</b> If the word <u>ends</u> in a C-V-C pattern, <u>double</u> the consonant, add [-er + than] wet = wetter than big = bigger than ** w,x,y,z do NOT follow the C-V-C rule	<b>Superlatives</b> If the word <u>ends</u> in a C-V-C pattern, <u>double</u> the consonant, add [the + -est] wet = the wettest big = the biggest ** w,x,y,z do NOT follow the C-V-C rule	
<b>Consonants = b, c, d, f, g, h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q, r, s, t, v, w, x, y, z</b> <b>Vowels = a, e, i, o, u</b>		
Now it's your turn:	Comparative	Superlative
sad		
red		
thin		
hot		

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